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..... TO AMEMBASSY ISLAMABAD IMMEDIATE  
..... INFO AMCONSUL KARACHI  
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..... ISLAMABAD AND GENEVA FOR REFCOORDS. CDC FOR TIM DONDERO

..... S.O. 12356: N/A  
..... AGS: SREF, AF, PK  
..... SUBJECT: UNHCR REQUEST FOR IMMEDIATE CDC ASSISTANCE

..... REF: (A) ISLAMABAD 4738, (B) ISLAMABAD 4379, (C) STATE  
60180, (D) ISLAMABAD 4153

1. CDC IS STILL PRESSING AHEAD TO IDENTIFY APPROPRIATE  
TEAM MEMBERS FOR REQUESTED SURVEY. HOWEVER, AS  
INDICATED IN REF B, CENTER IS HAVING DIFFICULTY LOCATING  
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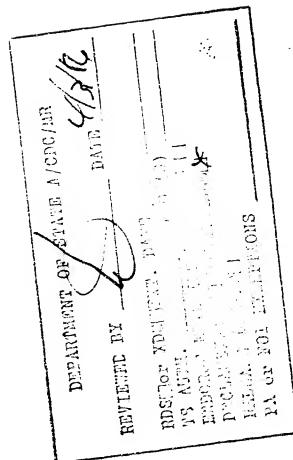
THREE SPECIALISTS WHO COULD BE AVAILABLE FOR FULL EIGHT  
TO TEN WEEK PERIOD. SECOND WEEK OF APRIL IS ALSO A  
PARTICULARLY DIFFICULT TIME FOR CDC PERSONNEL TO BE AWAY  
FROM ATLANTA.

2. EMBASSY'S REACTION TO FOLLOWING POSSIBLE FALLBACK  
PROCEDURE IS REQUESTED. CDC WOULD PROVIDE WITHIN NEXT  
TWO WEEKS AN EXPERIENCED SENIOR OFFICER TO SET UP AND  
INITIATE STUDY. TWO REMAINING TEAM MEMBERS WOULD ARRIVE

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IN PAKISTAN THE THIRD WEEK OF APRIL TO COMPLETE SURVEY AND ANALYZE FINDINGS. CDC BELIEVES THAT SURVEY COULD PROBABLY BE ACCOMPLISHED BY MID TO LATE MAY USING THIS PROCEDURE.

3. EMBASSY INDICATED IN REF C THAT SURVEY SHOULD BE COMPLETED BEFORE COMMENCEMENT OF REFUGEES' SEASONAL MIGRATION IN EARLY MAY. IS IT POSSIBLE TO ESTIMATE NUMBER OF SUCH MIGRANTS AND TO IDENTIFY THEIR MAJOR LOCATIONS SO CDC COULD SURVEY THEM FIRST?

4. EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO INFO ALL FUTURE MESSAGES ON THIS SUBJECT TO CDC ATLANTA (CAPTIONED FOR TIM DONDERO) AND TO GENEVA. (RP/ASIA: 1078K) SHULTZ

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